

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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ADHESIVE COMPOSITION AND OPTICAL
DEVICE USING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculating the filing fee, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, immediately after the title, please insert:

This application claims the benefit of U.S. provisional application 60/236,366 filed September 29, 2000.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

3. (Amended) The adhesive composition of claim 1, wherein the component (D) is an oligomer having 3 to 8 silicon atoms.

4. (Amended) The adhesive composition of claim 1, wherein the component (D-1) is selected from the group consisting of

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